

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, June 7, 2011 in pro forma session.

## House

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

### ELECTIONS IN ALBANIA

*Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe.* On June 1, 2011, Commission received a briefing on local elections and political instability in Albania from Jonathan Stonestreet, Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe Election Observation Mission to Albania, Paris, France; and Rob Benjamin, National Democratic Institute for International Affairs, and Januszs Bugajski, Center for Strategic and International Studies, both of Washington, D.C.

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### NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D498)

S. 990, to provide for an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958. Signed on May 26, 2011. (Public Law 112–14)

H.R. 793, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 12781 Sir Francis Drake Boulevard in Inverness, California, as the “Specialist Jake Robert Velloza Post Office.” Signed on May 31, 2011. (Public Law 112–15)

H.R. 1893, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the funding and expenditure authority of the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, to amend title 49, United States Code, to extend the airport improvement program. Signed on May 31, 2011. (Public Law 112–16)

S. 1082, to provide for an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958. Signed on June 1, 2011. (Public Law 112–17)

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 2011

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* To hold hearings to examine S. 512, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to require the Secretary of Energy to carry out programs to develop and demonstrate 2 small modular nuclear reactor designs, S. 937, to repeal certain barriers to domestic fuel production, and S. 1067, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to require the Secretary of Energy to carry out a research and development and demonstration program to reduce manufacturing and construction costs relating to nuclear reactors, 10 a.m., SD–366.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Geeta Pasi, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Djibouti, Donald W. Koran, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Rwanda, Lewis Alan Lukens, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Senegal, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, and Jeanine E. Jackson, of Wyoming, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malawi, all of the Department of State, and Ariel Pablos-Mendez, of New York, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, 10 a.m., SD–419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine Protocol Amending the Convention between the United States of America and the Swiss Confederation for the Avoidance of Double Taxation with Respect to Taxes on Income, signed at Washington on October 2, 1996 (Treaty Doc. 112–01), Protocol Amending the Convention between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with Respect to Taxes on Income and Capital, signed on May 20, 2009, at Luxembourg (the “proposed Protocol”) and a related agreement effected by the exchange of notes also signed on May 20, 2009 (Treaty Doc. 111–08), Convention between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Hungary for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with Respect to Taxes on Income, signed on February 4, 2010, at Budapest (the “proposed Convention”) and a related agreement effected by an exchange of notes on February 4, 2010 (Treaty Doc. 111–07), Treaty between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Rwanda Concerning the Encouragement and Reciprocal Protection of Investment, signed at Kigali on February 19, 2008 (Treaty Doc. 110–23), and Treaty between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Bermuda relating to Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters, signed at